SUPPLEMENTAL SUBJECTS.

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SUBJECT No. 369.

Inconvenience felt by holders of lands acquired for the Cauvery Reservoir.

Mr. Linge Gowda and other members of the Representative Assembly.

Summary of discussion.—The inconveniences experienced by landholders in the adjustment of lands acquired for the purpose of the Reservoir are as follows:—

(1) Lands given in exchange for the submerged lands are not good.

(2) Submersion of houses and lands has caused much inconvenience.

(3) In all cases no appeals can be taken.

(4) In several cases applications for reference to court have been refused.

(5) There is no uniformity in the award of compensation.

(6) It is a great hardship to make the owners of lands under the new channels to give up one-third of the irrigable extent.

(7) The interest of the raiyats is not properly represented in the levy of contribution from them. These may be considered.

Mr. M. Ramaswami Sastri suggested the appointment of a non-official member on the committee.

Reply of Government.—The committee will enquire into the matter. Each individual aggrieved may send up his representation.

SUBJECT No. 370.

Patronage exercised by Heads of Departments.

Mr. D. Venkataramaiya and other members of the Representative Assembly.

Summary of discussion.—The patronage exercised by the Heads of Departments may be placed on a better basis.

Reply of Government.—The revision of the rules is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 371.

Free medical aid.

Mr. Amble Anniah Pandit and other members of the Representative Assembly.

Summary of discussion.—The number of dispensaries may be increased, there being one for all villages within a radius of 5 or 10 miles. The Pandits trained in the Ayurvedic College at Mysore may be employed in these dispensaries.

Mr. H. Soorasastry said that want of medical aid in hoblies was much felt and suggested that a Pandit might be appointed at least in all big villages in each hobli.

Mr. C. Vasudeva Rao proposed that Pandits and Hakims should be treated as Government servants.

The Dewan remarked that a scheme for the extension of medical relief had been prepared by *Dewan Bahadur*